



Carol B. Hallett

Carol Hallett is President and Chief Executive Officer of the Air Transport Association (ATA).

Mrs. Hallett joined AIA in April 1995. ATA, founded in 1936, is the trade association representing 25 U.S. passenger and cargo carriers and three associate (international) members. ATA member airlines transport more than 95 percent of all passengers and cargo traffic in the United States, and ATA assists its members by promoting aviation safety, advocating industry positions, conducting industry-wide programs and ensuring public understanding and awareness of the airline industry.

Mrs. Hallett has had a distinguished career in public service and politics. In 1989, she was appointed by President Bush to serve as U.S. Customs Service Commissioner, where she directed a workforce of 20,000 employees and was recognized by the airline industry for her efforts to modernize the Customs Service. Prior to her tenure at the Customs Service, Mrs. Hallett also served as U.S. Ambassador to the Bahamas and as Director of the U.S. Interior Department's Western Region during the Reagan Administration. Previously, she served three terms in the California State Assembly, and from 1979 to 1982, was the Assembly Minority Leader. In 1982, Mrs. Hallett was the California Republican Party's nominee for Lt. Governor.

Mrs. Hallett is a licensed pilot with more than 5,000 hours of pilot-in-command time and experience in single and multi-engine aircraft, turboprops and business jets.